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Title: COMPUTER OPERATING SYSTEM THAT DEFINES DEFAULT DOCUMENT FOLDER FOR APPLICATION PROGRAMS

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Applicant has reviewed the final Office Action mailed on October 3, 2000. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

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1. (Twice Amended) A graphical user interface for a computer, comprising:
~~a [primary] screen;~~
~~a predetermined file-container icon displayed on the [primary] screen; and~~
~~one or more file-operation dialog boxes which are accessible by one or more~~
~~application programs of the computer and which are defined independently of the one or~~
~~more application programs to specify a file container associated with the predetermined~~
~~file-container icon as a default document container for files related to the one or more~~
~~application programs.~~

2. (Unchanged) The graphical user interface of claim 1, further comprising a destination menu item associated with a file to permit the file to be moved or copied to the file container associated with the file-container icon.